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SUBJECT: ICRC PROGRAM IN CHAD

REF: A. STATE 90192; B. GENEVA 4933, AND PREVIOUS

1. ICRC DELEGATE GENERAL FOR AFRICA, FRANK SCHMIDT CALLED MISSION WITH AN URGENT APPEAL FOR CONTRIBUTION TO SUBJECT PROGRAM. SCHMIDT SAID THAT ICRC MAY HAVE TO ABANDON PROGRAM IF FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES NOT ALLEVIATED QUICKLY. TO DATE, ONLY RESPONSES TO APPEAL HAVE BEEN FROM RED CROSS SOCIETIES OF U.K. (SF 10,000), SWEDEN (SF 41,170), NORWAY (SF 40,000), DENMARK (DANISH KRONER 125,000), CANADA (CANADIAN \$5,000), AUSTRALIA (AUSTRALIAN \$3,000) AND OXFAM (POUNDS 1,000) FOR A TOTAL OF SF 150,780.

2. SCHMIDT ALSO RELATED A REPORT FROM ICRC DELEGATE MARTI IN NDJAMENA WHO HAD HEARD FROM U.S. EMBASSY THAT U.S. COULD NOT CONTRIBUTE TO PROGRAM AIDING PRISONERS. HE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT MARTI HAD MISUNDERSTOOD AND POINTED TO ICRC'S TRADITIONAL ROLE IN THE PROTECTION OF PRISONERS OF WAR, WHICH THE U.S. HAD SUPPORTED IN THE PAST.

3. MISSION WOULD APPRECIATE INFORMATION ON STATUS OF
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U.S. RESPONSE TO ICRC APPEAL.
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